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- ☐ Extension Petition (CDC-111)
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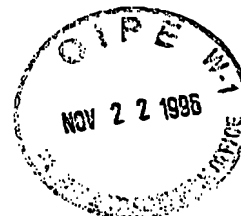
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Inventor(s): JOHNSON

Appin. No.: 08 | 389,399

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Filed: February 18, 1995

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
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Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated herein by reference and the signature below is to be treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

1. "Small Entity" statement(s) filed

☒ previously

☐ herewith (No.)

	Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Large/Small Entity	Additional Fee	Fee Code
2. Total Effective Claims	15*	**minus 24 = 0	x \$22/\$11 =	+		103/203
3. Independent Claims	13*	***minus 3 = 0	x \$80/\$40 =	+		102/202
4. If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (leave blank if this is a reissue application) add			+\$260/\$130=	+		104/204
5. Original due date: November 5, 1996		NONE				
6. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached		(1 mo) \$110/\$55 = (2 mos) \$390/\$195 = (3 mos) \$930/\$465 =	+55.00			115/215 116/216 117/217
7. Enter any previous extension fee paid since above original due date (item 5) and subtract			-0			
8. Extension Fee Attached					+55.00	
9. If Terminal Disclaimer attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee			+ \$110/\$55=	+0		148/248
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or if Rule 97(d) Petition, add			+ \$130 =			
11. After-Final Request Fee per Rules 129(a) and 17(r)			+ \$770/385=	+0		146/246
12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b):			x\$770/385ea=	+0		149/249
13. Petition fee for				+0		
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This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee and/or unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

Query: Is appeal deadline now? If so, file Notice of Appeal separately.

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